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Hongkong, April 26, 1882.

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Intimations.

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(The oldest Overland Paper in China.)

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This Mail Summary is compiled from the Daily China Mail, is published twice a month on the morning of the English Mail's departure, and is a record of each fortnight's current history of events in China and Japan, contributed in original reports and collated on the journals published at the various ports in those countries.

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Hongkong, August 8, 1882.

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Hongkong, August 8, 1882.

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Hongkong, August 9, 1882.

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The Review department receives special attention, and endeavours are made to present a careful and concise record of Literature on China etc., and to give critique on existing sketches of the Most recent works on such topics. Authors and Publishers are invited to forward works to "Editor, China Review," care of China Mail Office.

The Notes and Queries are still continued and form an important means of obtaining and diffusing among students knowledge on obscure points.

The Correspondence column also affords further and greater facilities for the exchange of views and discussion of various topics.

Original contributions in Chinese, Latin, or any of the Modern Languages are received. The papers are contributed by the members of the various Consular, the Imperial Customs, and Hongkong Services, and also by the Missionary bodies amongst whom a high degree of Chinese scholarship is thoroughly cultivated. Amongst the regular contributors are Drs. Chalmers, Etzel, Bratschneider, Hirth, and Hahn, Professor Loo, and Messrs. Balfour, Watters, Stout, Phillips, Macfarlane, Great, Jamie, son, Falter, Kepesh, Parker, Playfair, Giles, and Piton, all well-known names, indicative of sound scholarship and thorough mastery of their subject.

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OPINION OF THE PRESS.

"All our learned societies should subscribe to this scholarly and enterprising Review."—*Northern Christian Advocate* (U.S.).

"The China Review" * * * has an excellent table of contents."—*Testament Empire*.

"The publication always contains subjects of interest to sojourners in the Far East, and the present issue will hold favourable if not adulatory comparison, with preceding numbers."—*Testament Empire*.

"This number contains several articles of interest and value."—*North China Herald*.

"The present number of this periodical, * * * opens with a review of the Foreign Trade of China during 1880. This is either a new departure for a publication which professes to be purely literary, but considering the comparatively small circulation it enjoys at present among the commercial communities of China, we had the innovation as likely to recommend the Review to the notice of those who take an interest in few matters beyond mercantile pursuits."—*North China Herald*.

"The China Review for September—October fully maintains the high standard of excellence which characterises that publication, and altogether forms a very interesting and readable number. Meteorologists will find an interesting and valuable contribution by Dr. Fritsch on "The Amount of Precipitation (Rain and Snow) of Peking," showing the results of observations made at the Imperial Russian Observatory at Peking, from 1841 to 1880. "Notes on the Dutch Occupation of Formosa," by Mr. Goo Phillips, contains some interesting information, although much of it is second-hand. The Notices of New Books include a most generous and appreciative review of "The Divine Classic of Nan-Hua," and the Notes and Queries are as usual very interesting."—*North China Daily News*.

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"The November—December number of the China Review contains less variety than usual, but the few articles are very interesting. The opening paper by Mr. Herbert A. Giles on "The New Testament in Chinese" treats of a question that necessarily is of great importance in the eyes of all missionaries."—*Mr. E. H. Parker's "Short Journeys in Szechuan" are continued, and a goodly instalment of these travels in the interior of China is given. Mr. F. H. Balfour contributes a paper of some length entitled "The Emperor Cheng, founder of the Chinese Empire," which will be read with genuine interest by students of Chinese history. A few short notices of New Books and a number of Notes and Queries, one of which "On Chinese Oaths in Western Borneo and Java" might appropriately have been placed under a separate heading, complete the number."—*Editor, Daily Press*.*

"Trübner's "Ornamental Record" contains the following notice of the China Review:—The present publication, in judging by the number now before us, is intended to occupy a position, as regards China and the neighbouring countries, somewhat similar to that which has been filled in India by the *Calcutta Review*. The great degree of attention that has been bestowed of late years upon the investigation of Chinese literature, antiquities, and social developments, to say nothing of linguistic studies, has led to the accumulation of important stores of information, rendering some such channel of publicity as is now provided extremely desirable; and contributions of much interest may fairly be looked for from the members of the foreign consular services, the Chinese Customs' corps, and the missionary body, among whom a high degree of Chinese scholarship is now thoroughly cultivated, and who are severally represented in the first number of the Review by papers highly creditable to their respective authors."

"Some translations from Chinese novels and plays are marked by much humour and freedom of style; and an account of the career of the Chinese post-temperance in the eleventh century, *Se-ching-pai*, by Mr. E. C. Gale, is not only highly valuable, but also distinguished by its literary grace. Beside notices of new books relating to China and the East, which will be a useful feature of the Review, if carried out with punctuality and detail, we are glad to notice that "Notes" and "Queries" are destined to find a place in its pages also. It is to be hoped that this can bring for contributions on Chinese subjects may evoke a similar degree of literary zeal to that which was displayed during the lifetime of its predecessor in the field, and that the China Review may receive the support necessary to insure its continuance."

Visitors' Column.

We have instituted as an experiment a VISITORS' COLUMN, which we trust will prove successful, and be found useful. To it will be relegated from time to time such items of information, lists, tables and other intelligence as is considered likely to prove valuable to persons passing through the City, and in connection with which we have opened a SELECT HOTEL AND BUSINESS DIRECTORY, applications for enrolment into which we are now ready to receive.

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Union Ins. Soc.	500	\$ 2,000	\$ 500	\$ 384,557	\$ 437,688.58	\$ 152,00	\$ 6125
China Traders' Insurance.	600	\$ 1,000,000	\$ 500	\$ 500,000	\$ 100,392.00	22%	\$ 1575
C'ton Ins. Office	10,000	\$ 250	\$ 250	\$ 800	\$ 1,000,378.8	677.42	3%
Chinese Ins. Co.	1,500	\$ 1,000	\$ 200	\$ 100	\$ 2,842.8	203,403.72	\$ 75
H.K. Fire Ins.	2,000	\$ 1,000	\$ 200	\$ 800	\$ 2,000.8	\$ 1025	"
China Fire Ins.	4,000	\$ 500	\$ 100	\$ 400	\$ 43,632.8	144,535.91	18%
STEAM COMPANIES.							
HK. C. & M. Steamboat	8,000	\$ 100	\$ 75	\$ 135,000	\$ 18,908.00	5%	\$ 102
GENERAL.							
CHINA.	10,000	\$ 125	\$ 125	\$ 147,563.8	\$ 3,180.53	4%	* 50 1/2 = \$180 [per sh.]
COINS.							
Chi. 1874	6,276	L	100	all	8	June 30	Postage
1877	16,040	L	100	all	8	Feb. 28	Postage
1878	3,899	Tl.	500	all	8	April & Oct.	Postage
1881	9,565	Tl.	500	all	8	Jne 10 & Dec. 10	Postage
1882	6,000	L	100	all	8	June & Dec.	Postage

Rates of Dividends.

Payable.

1874

1877

1878

1879